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BRIDGNORTH
AND
South Shropshire Infirmary

Report and
Balance Sheets

FOR THE YEAR 1928.

THE ANNUAL MEETING (which all Subscribers and Friends are invited to attend) will be held at the Infirmary on Wednesday, 3rd April, at 3 p.m.

Major A. W. Foster, MC., will preside.

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Bridgnorth & South Shropshire Infirmary.

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Major A. W. Foster.

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The Lord Bishop of Hereford.

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Consulting and Ophthalmic Surgeon: Mr. C. G. Russ-Wood.

Honorary Pathologist: Dr. S. C. Dyke.

Consulting Honorary Electrologist: Mr. G. E. Dyas.

Honorary Dental Surgeon: Mr. A. Grant Legge.

Honorary Surgeons:

Mr. W. W. Craig. Dr. L. E. Dickson. Mr. E. L. N. Rhodes.

Matron: Miss M. Webber.

Committee of Management for 1928:

Rev. S. Stockton	Mr. H. G. Horne	Mrs. Cooper
Rev. R. C. H. Evans	Mr. A. Edge	Viscountess Boyne
Mrs. E. T. Crook	The Mayor of Bridgnorth	Mrs. Rhodes
Mr. A. E. Jones	Mr. James	Rev. D. N. Spafford

The Hon. Mrs. E. Hamilton-Russell. Dr. Wilfred Watkins-Pitchford.

The President, Vice-Presidents, Trustees, Surgeons, Treasurer & Secretary
are also Members of the Committee of Management.

House Committee:

Mr. T. C. Roper	Mr. E. L. N. Rhodes	Mrs. E. T. Crook
Mr. W. W. Craig	Rev. J. Stewart Jobling	Mrs. Rhodes
Mr. A. J. Buston	Mr. W. T. Cornfield	Mrs. Cooper
Dr. L. E. Dickson	Mr. A. Grant Legge	

Auditors:

Mr. A. Grant Legge.

Mr. H. W. Pearce.

Hon. Treasurer:

Hon. Secretary:

Hon. Solicitor:

Mr. W. T. Cornfield.

Rev. J. S. Jobling.

Mr. W. J. Woolley.

Chaplain: The Rector of St. Leonards.

Bankers: The Midland Bank, Bridgnorth.

Subscriptions are payable at the Midland Bank, Bridgnorth. Cheques should be drawn in favour of Mr. W. T. Cornfield, "Treasurer of the Bridgnorth and South Shropshire Infirmary."

The financial year begins on the 1st of January and Subscribers would do good service to the Infirmary and save the trouble of application by paying their Subscriptions as early as possible in the New Year.

Subscribers keeping Accounts at the Banks would save themselves trouble by giving their Bankers written authority to pay their Subscription annually on the 1st day of January.

**PERSONS WISHING TO CONTRIBUTE BY WILL TO THIS
INSTITUTION ARE REQUESTED TO USE THE FOLLOWING
FORM.**

I bequeath to the Trustees for the time being of a Charitable Institution called the Bridgnorth and South Shropshire Infirmary the sum of
free of legacy duty, for the benefit of that Institution; and I direct that such Legacy shall be paid within
month(s) after my death out of such part of my personal estate as may by law be bequeathed for charitable purposes, and that the receipt of any two of such Trustees or of the Treasurer of the Institution for the time being shall be an official discharge to my Executors for the same.

REPORT OF THE GENERAL COMMITTEE FOR 1928.

The following Summary of Patients for 1928 gives some idea of the good work the Infirmary is doing:

Wolverhampton Royal Hospital	...	...	1
Weekly Contributors	...	...	120
In-Patients by Note	...	...	145
In-Patients by Payment	...	...	56
Maternity Cases	...	...	31
Out-Patients by Note...	...	...	77
Provident	...	...	1
Operations on In-Patients	...	...	304
Operations on Out-Patients	...	...	99
The total number of Patients' Days	...	7.600	
Average of each Patient's stay in Hospital	20.821		
Number of Deaths among Patients	...	24	

The most important event during the current year was the opening of the New Wings to the Infirmary, which included the erection of a new Operating Theatre, &c., and the installation of an up-to-date X-Ray Apparatus.

The Committee wish to place on record their thanks to the Marchioness of Cambridge, supported by the Marquis of Cambridge, for their kindness in coming to perform the opening ceremony, and also to the Bishop of Hereford for dedicating the Building.

We also are grateful to our President, Major A. W. Foster, and Mr. A. J. Buston, and the Building Committee, who acted under their guidance, for their help and assistance in bringing the Institution up-to-date.

REPORT OF GENERAL COMMITTEE (Continued).

The cost of the installation of the X-Ray was defrayed by Mrs. Anderson, in memory of her late husband, Alderman John Anderson, who for so many years was a member of the Committee of Management, and as a mark of her appreciation of the care and attention given to him whilst a Patient in the Institution. They wish to thank her for this very generous gift.

The Committee are pleased to report that through the kindness of an anonymous Donor, a Shadowless Lamp has been presented to the Operating Theatre, for which they are deeply grateful.

They also wish to place on record their thanks to the Hon. Medical Staff for a Stretcher Table, and to Dr. Lloyd Jones for a Sterilizing Plant.

In addition to the above, handsome donations have been received, resulting in the New Wings being opened free from debt, for which the Committee express sincere thanks.

BOARD OF HONOUR.

Enquiries are often received from would-be donors as to what form of recognition the acknowledgment of donations or bequests towards endowment of the Infirmary are recorded. The Committee have now made provision for a Board of Honour to be placed in a prominent position in the Infirmary, upon which gifts of £100 or more will be inscribed.

CONTRIBUTORY SCHEME.

The Committee also wish to place on record their appreciation of, and thanks to the organizers and collectors of the Contributory Scheme, which has resulted in a sum of £600 being paid over to the funds of the Infirmary for the year ending December 31st, 1928. It is hoped that the definite success of this Scheme, in coming years, will greatly relieve the financial anxieties of the Management Committee.

HON. SECRETARY.

The Rev. Samuel Stockton tendered his resignation as Hon. Secretary, and the Committee wish to thank him for his services and the work done by him for the Infirmary during his period of office, and to report that the Rev. J. S. Jobling has kindly consented to take on the duties of the office during the ensuing year.

REPORT OF GENERAL COMMITTEE (Continued).

ALEXANDRA ROSE DAY.

Although over £80 was collected on Alexandra Rose Day, the Infirmary only received about £47 as their proportion, from the Salop Infirmary Committee, and the Committee have decided to revert to their own Hospital Saturday in future.

JUMBLE SALE.

A successful Jumble Sale was held to raise funds on behalf of the Building Fund, and through the efforts of Mr. T. C. Roper and his Committee a sum of over £100 was realised.

FINANCE.

Although £600 has been paid into the Infirmary Fund from the Contributory Scheme, which is very satisfactory for the first year, the Committee wish to point out that after taking into account the liability that is attached to this Scheme, it is difficult to estimate what, if any, surplus will be available at the end of any financial year. In addition the Committee have to point out that a considerable drop has taken place in Subscriptions and Donations. As a result of this curtailment of revenue, the Committee will have to find other ways and means to increase their annual income, to enable them to keep the Infirmary running efficiently, and they earnestly appeal to every person in Bridgnorth and District to subscribe according to their means, and so keep the Institution on a solvent footing.

The Committee wish to express their gratitude to the organisers of the Infirmary Charity Football Cup Competition, whereby a sum of £25 was handed over to the Infirmary; also the School Boys' Football Competition, by which a sum of £20 3s. 6d. was raised. We also wish to thank all those who have arranged entertainments, &c., for the benefit of the Hospital during the year, and the Committee express their hope that they may rely on their interest and support during the ensuing year.

(Signed) A. W. FOSTER,

CHAIRMAN.

REPORT OF THE HOUSE COMMITTEE FOR 1928.

The Committee have regularly met each month. The Patients have had every attention, and the Infirmary has been carried on as economically as possible.

The very best thanks of the Committee are due to the Medical Staff, the Matron, the Nurses and all Voluntary Helpers.

MONTHLY GIFTS.—The Committee desire to express their best thanks to all those who have so kindly sent Hampers, Game, Books, &c., &c., to the Infirmary.

In conclusion, they thank the Lady Visitors; Mr. Vickery for his generosity in attending to the Infirmary Clocks free of charge; Mr. Piper for sweeping the chimneys at a reduced rate; Mr. Carter for tuning the pianos free of charge; and the Crown Garage for charging batteries free of charge.

(Signed) A. W. FOSTER,

CHAIRMAN.

REPORT OF THE LADIES' COMMITTEE FOR 1928.

THE LINEN GUILD.—228 articles have been received for the Linen Guild this year and £13 15s. in cash; 29 more articles and £5 15s. 6d. more in cash than in 1927. The exhibition of Linen on December 6th brought several new Subscribers.

HOSPITAL SATURDAY.—For the first time the Committee decided not to have Hospital Saturday, but instead to join in the Alexandra Rose Festival. The results were most disappointing, as after collecting and sending £83 to headquarters the Infirmary only received £47 as their share of the money collected in Shropshire. Flag Day has always brought in over £80.

HAMPERS have come in fairly well. Produce of any sort will always be GRATEFULLY received in large or small quantities.

LADY VISITORS are still wanted.

MARGARET H. DICKSON, Hon. Sec.
HILDA CROOK, CHAIRMAN,

REPORT OF BUILDING COMMITTEE FOR 1928.

We are glad to be able to report that your Committee have now completed that which they undertook to do—namely, to bring the Hospital thoroughly up-to-date—and we feel sure that that anyone inspecting the Infirmary will agree that we have a Hospital in our district which is fully-equipped, and a great boon to the entire neighbourhood. The cost of same has been as follows:—

	£	s.	d.
Messrs. Lay & Son	2117	18	0
Messrs. Henry Hope & Son	773	4	0
Architect's Expenses	170	15	0
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	£3061	17	0
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(Signed) A. J. BUSTON,
CHAIRMAN BUILDING COMMITTEE.

REPORT OF ECONOMY COMMITTEE FOR 1928.

This Committee has met when necessary, and has effected several economies, which they hope will in time prove beneficial to the Institution.

(Signed) T. C. ROPER,
CHAIRMAN.

SCHEME TO RECOVER INCOME-TAX ON SUBSCRIPTIONS.

The Income of Charities is exempt from Income-Tax, and if a Subscriber, who is an Income-Tax payer, is prepared to covenant by deed to pay a regular Annual Subscription for a period of seven years, it is now possible for the Hospital to recover the tax which has been paid by the Subscriber, and so to increase the amount actually received by the Hospital by 25%, without increasing the amount payable by the Subscriber.

A subscription of £1 hitherto paid to the Hospital represents a gross amount of 25s., from which 5s. has been deducted for Income-Tax.

Under this Scheme the Subscriber will covenant to set aside from his gross income 25s. annually for the benefit of the Hospital. He will pay his Income-Tax as before, and will forward to the Hospital his usual net subscription of £1, and he will fill in a form (which will be supplied by the Hon. Sec.) stating that he has paid Income-Tax at the rate of 4s. in the £ amounting to 5s. The Hospital will then be able to claim repayment of the 5s., and the £1 subscription will appreciate to 25s. In like manner a £5 subscription will appreciate to £6 5s., a £10 subscription to £12 10s., and so on pro rata. Further, the subscriber, if liable to Super Tax, can obtain relief from such tax in respect of the subscription and the Income-Tax thereon.

It is proposed to invite any subscribers of sums from £1 upwards, who feel that they can thus bind themselves to maintain their subscription for a period of seven years, to sign the necessary covenant, and so increase the funds for the Hospital.

The Scheme cannot be made retrospective, and can apply only to subscriptions that are paid after the necessary Deed has been signed, and, of course, only to those who pay Income-Tax.

The necessary forms may be had on application to the Hon. Secretary.

SUMMARY OF IN-PATIENTS FOR THE YEAR 1928.

ACCIDENTS.—Fractures: Base, 4; Femur, 4; Lower Leg, 5; Arms, 3; Clavicle, 2; Acetabulum, 1; Ribs, 2; Patella, 1; Crushed Fingers, 3; Crushed Arms, 2; Concussion, 7; Scalp Wounds, 6; Lacerated Wounds, 8; Cut Tendons, 1; Ruptured Muscle, 1; Bruising, 4; Shock, 3.

SURGICAL CASES. — Appendicitis, 34; Hernia, 18; Hydrocele, 4; Hæmorrhoids, 4; Supra-Pubic Cystotomy, 4; General Peritonitis, 1; Central Tumour, 1; Mastoid, 2; Intestinal Obstruction, 2; Intussusception, 1; Abdominal Sinus, 2; Gall Stones, 1; Burns, 3; Osteomyelitis, 1; Ischio Rectal Abscess, 2; Gas Gangrene, 1; Curettage, 8; Varicose Veins 4; Prepatella Bursæ, 2; Perforated Gastric Ulcer, 4; Ovarian Cyst, 3; Carcinoma Stomach, 2; Carcinoma Colon, 2; Carcinoma Breast, 2; Oesophageal Obstruction, 2; Necrosis Skin, 1; Necrosis Rib, 1; Adenoma Thyroid, 1; Perincomaphy, 1; Hallux Valgus, 1; Sebaceous Cyst, 1; Glands of Neck, 5; Glands of Groin, 8; Ulceration of Foot, 1; Paraphimosis, 1; Carbuncle, 1; Quinsy, 1; Suppurating Phlebitis, 1; Tonsils and Adenoids, 89; Teeth Extraction, 33.

MEDICAL CASES.—Cardiac, 9; Pneumonia, 4; Asthma, 2; Bronchitis, 2; Croup, 1; Pleural Effusion, 3; Gastric, 7; Nephritis, 4; Arthritis, 1; Albuminurea, 2; Debility, 2; Grave's Disease, 2; Encephalitis Lethargica, 1; Central Hæmorrhage, 2; Pyonephronis, 1; Cystitis, 1; Jaundice, 1; Neuritis, 1; Acute Mania, 1; General Tuberculosis, 1; T.B. Spine, 1; T.B. Hip, 1; T.B. Kidney, 1; T.B. Meningitis, 1; Sacro Iliac Disease, 3.

REVENUE ACCOUNT—Treasurer's Statement

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Annual Subscriptions	373	11	0
Church Collections	114	2	0
Hospital Saturday Collections	79	7	10

SUNDRY DONATIONS.

Ditton Priors' Womens' Institute	1	11	6
Cleobury North Reading Room	5	5	0
Carpet Weavers' Association	5	5	0
Lient.-Col. Otter-Barry (Life Subscription)	20	0	0
Post Office Employees	2	0	0
Air Gun Club, Red Cow Inn, Ackleton	1	15	0
Mrs. Carter, Sale of Marmalade	4	7	0
A. W. and L. W. Roberts	1	0	0
St. Margaret's, Tugford, Football Match Collection	10	0	
Miss H. M. Baillie	10	0	
May fair Stallage, per Mr. Williams	10	0	
Anonymous	5	5	0
Anonymous	10	10	0
Anonymous	2	12	6
Anonymous	10	0	
Anonymous	7	17	6
Hospital Saving Association	13	4	0
Conservative Association Van, Burwarton Collection	16	1	
Mr. Tomkinson	10	0	
Comrades' Athletic Club	13	1	
Infirmity Charity Football Cup Competition	25	0	0
Infirmity School Boys' Football Competition	20	3	6
Rev. and Mrs. Kynaston	2	2	0
Mr. A. Childs	1	1	0
Miss Worrall	1	1	0
Billingsley Cricket Club	7	6	
Anonymous	2	12	6
Pound Day	2	5	6
Prince of Wales Theatre, per Mr. Holloway	9	11	9
Worfield Women's Institute	1	14	0
Alliance Assurance Co.	2	2	0
Messrs. H. and M. Southwell's Employees	50	0	0
Ditto Ditto (1927)	20	0	0
Lady Forester Trust	5	5	0
Xmas Box from Mrs. Hunter	5	5	0
	233	2	5
Amounts received Private Patients	285	5	9
Contributions Paying Patients	344	0	2
Contributory Scheme	600	0	0

DIVIDENDS.

New Zealand Stock	11	7	2
Liverpool Corporation	28	0	0
London, Midland and Scottish Railway	59	4	0
London, Midland and Scottish Railway	36	12	2
Local Loans	6	13	4
India 3 per cent. Stock	3	19	0
India 3½ per cent. Stock	16	16	0
Consols	4	13	8
India 5½ per cent. Stock	49	4	8
Queensland 6 per cent. Stock	46	5	4
West Bromwich Corporation Stock	12	0	0
Bank Stock	36	14	0
New South Wales	4	0	2
	315	9	6
By Income Tax Rebate	77	7	2
Total Receipts for 1928	2422	5	10
Debit Balance, December, 1928	8	13	2
	£2430	19	0

Examined with Certificates, Stock Re
W. T. CORNFIELD, Hon. Treasurer.

for the year ending December 31st, 1928.

EXPENDITURE.							£	s.	d.
Honsekeeping	...	...	...	...	...	...	671	19	9
Drugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	102	15	10
Surgical Appliances	...	...	...	...	...	...	99	6	6
Furniture	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	11	6
Wines and Spirits	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	7	0
Ironmongery	...	...	...	...	...	...	25	7	7
China	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	14	1
Rates and Taxes	...	...	...	...	...	...	43	0	11
Coal, Coke and Wood	...	...	...	...	...	...	140	4	9
Gas	...	...	...	...	...	...	67	7	9
Repairs	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	6	3
Insurance	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	9	6
SALARIES, LAUNDRY, &c.,							£	s.	d.
Matron	...	...	...	...	...	...	120	0	0
Nurses	...	...	...	...	...	...	282	5	8
Servants Wages	...	...	...	...	...	...	110	17	3
Laundry	...	...	...	...	...	...	101	13	9
Porter	...	...	...	...	...	...	122	4	0
							737	0	8
Uniforms	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	5	3
Printing and Postage	...	...	...	...	...	...	57	6	1
Incidentals	...	...	...	...	...	...	52	9	6
Transfer to Repair and Replacements Fund	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	0	0

Total Expenditure for 1928	...	...	...	...	...	2153	12	11
Balance from December, 1927	...	...	...	...	...	277	6	1
							£2430	19 0

and Pass Books, &c., and found correct,

A. GRANT LEGGE, } Auditors. 7th March, 1929.
HOWARD W. PEARCE, }

CAPITAL ACCOUNT.

LIABILITIES.			ASSETS.		
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Sundry Benefactions prior to 1919	...	...	£100 : 4 : 6 New South Wales Government 5 per cent. Stock cost	100	0 0
Wakeman Legacy	...	...	£1144 London, Mid. and Scot. Rly. 4 per cent. (Guaranteed Stock	1069	5 9
Hewett Memorial	...	...	£1850 ditto 4 per cent. Deben Stock	637	14 8
Mr. Ormond Edwards' Legacy	...	...	£600 India 3½ per cent. Stock cost	1357	10 9
Mrs. Rogers' Legacy	...	...	£1000 Liverpool Corporation Stock cost	528	18 6
Mr. W. H. Foster's Legacy	...	...	£500 West Bromwich Corporation Stock cost	1377	2 6
Exors. W. Weir Legacy	...	...	£382 : 7 : 1 Bank of England Stock cost	200	0 0
Anonymous (In Memoriam)	...	...	£234 : 11 : 8 Consols cost	258	4 2
Wilfred Oldham Ward Endowment	...	...	£262 : 19 : 8 New Zealand 3½ per cent. Stock, 1940, cost	139	18 9
Repairs Fund and Interest	...	...	£142 : 11 : 2 ditto	62	13 9
Bank Interest, accumulated (Special Investment Account)	...	...	£80 : 11 : 3 India 3 per cent. Stock (A Ac.) (Hewett Memorial) cost	39	17 10
Glazeley and Chelton Girl Index	...	...	£51 : 4 ditto (B. Ac.)	190	0 0
Midland Bank Ltd, Replacements and Repairs Fund	...	...	£278 : 2 : 6 Local Loans cost	1000	0 0
	£11268	17 4	£97 : 17 : 11 India 5½ per cent. Stock cost	100	0 0
			£97 : 10 : 6 ditto	45	0 0
			£43 : 12 : 1 ditto	1000	0 0
			£963 : 15 Queensland 6 per cent. Stock cost..	34	19 9
			Amount at Savings Bank (Repairs Fund)	77	10 11
			Amount at Midland Bank (Special Investment Account)	50	0 0
			Amount at Midland Bank (Repair and Replacements Fund) ..		
				£11268	17 4

BUILDING EXTENSION FUND.					
	£	s. d.		£	s. d.
Balance Building Fund, December 31st, 1927	511	0 8	Lay and Son	350	0 0
Balance Extension Fund, December 31st, 1927	409	0 2	Hopes Light and Heating Co.	224	5 0
Walker Trustees	700	0 0	Lay and Son	300	0 0
Remunage Sale	42	6 6	Wolverson	386	16 0
Highley and Kinlet Colliery (X-Ray)...	10	0 0	Hopes Light and Heating Co.	400	0 0
Mrs. Anderson, X-Ray Apparatus	400	0 0	Ditto	152	6 6
Sundries	2	1 4	Incidental	2	7 0
Collections and Donations at Opening, as advertised	419	4 0			
Bank Interest	18	18 1	Balance at December 31st,	1815	15 3
	£2512	10 9		696	15 6
				£2512	10 9

NOTE.—The Valuable Freehold Premises are held in addition to the above Assets.

Examined with Books and Vouchers, Pass Books, &c., and found correct,

W. T. CORNFIELD, Hon. Treasurer.

A. GRANT LEGGE, } Auditors.
HOWARD W. PEARCE, }

7th March, 1929.

SUBSCRIPTIONS—1928.

Bridgnorth.	£	s.	d.			
Ainsworth, Mr. W. R.	1	1	0	Lloyds Bank	4	4 0
Ancient Order of Foresters				Logan, Mrs.	1	1 0
“ Court Shakespeare ” ...	2	2	0	Lec's Charity	5	0 0
Do. Health Insurance Soc.	2	2	0	Legge, Mr. A. Grant	1	1 0
Andersen, Mrs. J.	1	0	0	Midland Bank	2	2 0
Barclays Bank	2	2	0	MacMichael, Miss	1	1 0
Bate, The Misses	3	3	0	Marston, Mr. E. C.	1	1 0
Beamman, Mr. G.	1	1	0	Maynard, Miss	10	6
Bluck, Miss	10	6		Nicholas, Messrs. R. & Son...	1	1 0
Bridgnorth Guardians	1	1	0	Nock, Deighton & Son	1	1 0
Do. Police	2	2	0	Palmers Hospital (1927)	1	10 0
Do. Spinning Co.	1	11	6	Peck, Mrs.	1	1 0
Burton & Sons, Messrs W....	1	1	0	Pearce, Mr. H. W.	2	2 0
Carter, Mr. E.	1	1	0	Pennell, Mr. Geo.	1	1 0
Castle Lodge of Freemasons	1	1	0	Perry & Phillips Ltd., Messrs.	1	1 0
Catholic Apostolic Church ...	2	2	0	Pugh, Mrs. E.....	1	1 0
Caird, Mrs.	1	1	0	Roden, Mr. C. B.	1	1 0
Colley, Mrs.	2	2	0	Rhodes, Mrs.	1	1 0
Cooksey, Mr. J. H.	10	6		Smith & George, Messrs.	1	1 0
Cooper, Mrs. F. J.	2	2	0	Southwell, Mrs. F. M.	10	6
Cooper, Co., Messrs. F. J....	1	1	0	„ Messrs. H. & M. Ltd....	10	10 0
Clark-Maxwell, Mrs.	1	1	0	„ Staff :—		
Cross, Mrs. S. A.	1	1	0	Mr. Jas. Davies	10	6
Cornfield, Mr. W. T.	1	1	0	„ J. Smith	10	6
Corser, Messrs. T. & A. J. ...	5	0		„ F. W. Head	10	6
Deighton, Trustees of Chas....	1	1	0	Miss Askew	10	6
Deighton & Smith, Messrs. ...	1	1	0	Mr. A. Dexter	10	6
Dickson, Dr. & Mrs. L. E. ...	2	2	0	„ J. H. Prunell	10	6
Edge, Mr. A.	10	6		„ A. J. Baker	10	6
Edwards, Mrs. Ormond	2	2	0	„ W. A. Piper	10	6
Fallows, Mr. R. S.	1	1	0	„ W. S. Collins	10	6
Foxall, Mr. J. T.	1	11	6	„ J. S. Tunnard ...	10	6
Gadsby, Mr. W. T.	1	1	0		—	5 5 0
Gardner, Mr. H. A. E.	1	1	0	St. Leonard's Poor Fund.....	1	1 0
Haslewood, Mr. R. J. R.	1	1	0	Wardle & Co., Messrs.	3	3 0
Head, Mr. F. W.	1	1	0	Walker, Mr. Geo.	2	2 0
Horne, Mr. H. G.	1	1	0	Waterloo House, Ltd., and		
Hunter, Mrs.	1	1	0	Messrs. W. Jones & Co.	3	3 0
Jobling, Rev. & Mrs. J. S....	1	1	0	Welch, Mrs. A. W.	2	2 0
Jones, Mr. A. E.	1	1	0	Do. Miss R. M.	1	1 0
Do. Mrs. A. E.	1	1	0	Williams & Austin, Messrs.	10	6
Joynson, Miss	1	1	0	Weavers, Mr. J.	10	6
Keary, Wyley & Son	1	1	0	Woolley, Mr. W. J.	1	1 0
Lawton, Mr. R. V.	10	6				
						£114 17 0

SUBSCRIPTIONS—(Continued).

Alveley.			Claverley.		
	£	s. d.			
Burrow, Mrs. M. A.	2	2 0	Norton, Mrs. B.	1	1 0
Skelding, Col.	1	1 0	Tollemache, Hon. Mrs. E. J.	1	1 0
Wakeman-Colville, Capt.	2	2 0	Leigh, Mrs. E. S.	5	3 0
Working Men's Club	1	1 0			
				7	5 0
Astley Abbots.			Cleobury North.		
Allen, Capt.	1	0 0	Hamilton-Russell, Hon. M....	5	0 0
Cooke, Mr. H. R.	2	2 0	Hamilton-Russell, Hon. E. S.	2	2 0
Crump, Mr. J.	2	2 0			
Hodgson, Mrs.	1	1 0		7	2 0
Sankey, Mr. G. H.	5	5 0	Ditton Priors.		
Welch, Mrs. H. E.	2	2 0	Bell, Mr. J.	1	1 0
Women's Institute	2	2 0			
				1	1 0
	15	14 0	Highley.		
Burwarton.			Highley Mining Co., Ltd....	5	5 0
Boyne, Rt. Hon. Viscount ...	5	5 0	Beddard, Mr. E. A.	1	1 0
	5	5 0		6	6 0
Chelmarsh.			Middleton Scriven.		
Buston, Mrs.	2	2 0	Bunney, Mr. F. W. E.	1	1 0
Buston, Mr. A. J.	10	0 0	Church Council	1	1 0
Working Men's Club	18	18 0			
				2	2 0
	31	0 0	Monkhopton.		
Chetton and Glazeley.			Wenlock, Lady	5	0 0
Crook, Mrs. E. T.	5	5 0	Wenlock, Rev. Preb. Lord ...	5	0 0
Crook, Mr. E. T.	10	0 0			
Page, Mrs.	1	1 0		10	0 0
Perrott, Mr. W.	1	1 0	Morville.		
Southwell, Rev. R. B.	3	3 0	Dalton, Mr. H. N.	1	1 0
Wayne, Major	1	1 0			
Hamilton-Russell, Hon. M. ...	3	3 0		1	1 0
			Oldbury.		
	24	14 0	Bacon, Miss M. B.	10	6
Chorley.			Church Council	6	6 0
Tomkinson, Mr. R.	2	2 0	Cowie, Mrs. J.	1	1 0
			Jukes, Mr. E. S.	10	6
			Montgomery, Mr. G. F.	1	1 0
	2	2 0	Stockton, Rev. and Mrs.	2	2 0
			Summers, Mrs.	5	5 0
				16	6 0

SUBSCRIPTIONS—(Continued).

Quatt.			Worfield.		
	£	s. d.			
Cook, Mrs. Trevor	2	2 0	Bath, Capt. H. J.	2	2 0
Mottershead, Mr. W. H.	1	1 0	Bromley, Mr. J.	5	5 0
Parochial Church Council ...	5	5 0	Corbett, Mr. R. C.	1	1 0
Wolryche-Whitmore, Captain			Cunliffe, Mrs. E. F. A.	2	2 0
and Mrs.	5	0 0	Davenport, Mrs.	2	2 0
			Evans, Rev. and Mrs.	2	2 0
			Morrison, Mrs.	3	3 0
	13	8 0	Evans, Miss M. C.	5	0
Quatford and Eardington.			Roper, Mr. T. C.	2	2 0
Bevan, Archdeacon	2	2 0	Sutton, Mr. W. J.	2	2 0
Beacall, Mr. H. M.	5	5 0	United Charities	8	8 0
Owen, Mr. Hy.	1	1 0			
Pountney Smith, Mrs.	1	1 0		30	14 0
Priestley, Mr. J. M.	1	1 0	Farmers' Subscriptions.		
Ridley, Mr. A.	1	1 0	Dowman, Mr. H. M.	1	1 0
Stevenson, Mrs. H. J.	2	2 0	Cureton, Mr. E. C.	1	1 0
	13	13 0	Everingham, Mr. H. A.	1	1 0
Stockton.			Bannister, Mr. C.	1	1 0
Church Council	2	2 0	Jones, Mr. J. A.	10	6
Foster, Major A. W.	15	0 0	Walker, Mr. A. C.	1	1 0
Wilson, Mr. W. O.	1	1 0			
				5	15 6
	18	3 0	Other Districts.		
Tasley.			Gilroy, Mrs.	1	1 0
Dawes, Rev. H. V.	1	1 0	Peach, Mrs. C. E. C.	1	1 0
Church Council	4	4 0	Brooke, Col. J. A.	10	0 0
	5	5 0	Woolley, Mr. Jas.	1	1 0
Tuck Hill.			Abdon Clee Employees	4	4 0
Amphlett, Rev. G. L.	1	1 0	Whitley, Mr. J. H. A.	1	1 0
Farmer, Mrs. H. R.	1	11 6	P.R.H.A. Potato Club	2	10 0
Gatacre, Mrs. F. W.	2	2 0	Rodgers, Mr. G. D.	1	1 0
Stoddart, Rev. and Miss	2	2 0	Thompson, Mrs. F. A.	1	1 0
Thompson, Mr. A. E.	2	2 0	Mrs. A. M. Wolryche Whit-		
			more	3	3 0
				26	3 0
	8	18 6		£373	11 0

HOSPITAL SATURDAY COLLECTIONS.

					£	s.	d.
Alveley (House)	...	...	...	...	6	0	0
Horne & Meredith	...	...	...	...	2	17	3
Alveley Box	...	...	...	...		15	4
Hundred House Box	...	...	...	...	1	7	5
Fowles, Mr. F. C. (Box)	...	...	...	...		5	8
Ball Hotel	...	...	...	...		10	11
Squirrel, Alveley	...	...	...	...	1	6	3
Swan Hotel	...	...	...	...		11	11
Infirmery Box	...	...	...	...	3	7	3
Drill Hall (Box)	...	...	...	...		10	2
Waterloo House	...	...	...	...		11	6
W. Jones & Co.	...	...	...	...		14	6
Miss R. M. Welch (Box)	...	...	...	...	3	0	6
Old Castle Inn (Box)	...	...	...	...	4	2	11
Mrs. Reed	...	...	...	...		12	8
Cross Keys	...	...	...	...		6	0
Mr. J. Foxall	...	...	...	...		5	9
Deighton & Smith	...	...	...	...		14	1
Mr. W. T. Gadsby	...	...	...	...		7	1
Crown Hotel	...	...	...	...		8	7
Bridgnorth Lift	...	...	...	...		13	1
New Inn	...	...	...	...		5	2
White Lion	...	...	...	...		10	2
Miss E. Ford	...	...	...	...		8	5
Amounts under 5/-	...	...	...	...	1	9	6
Alexandra Rose Day	...	...	...	...	47	5	9
					£79 7 10		

CHURCH COLLECTIONS.

							£	s.	d.
Shipton	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	16	0
Shipton	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	0
Congregational	United	Communion	Service				2	0	0
Chetton	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	0
Glazeley	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	5	6
Glazeley	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Glazeley	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	10	0
Worfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	12	11
Worfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	9
Worfield	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	15	3
Badger	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Tuck Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	0
Tuck Hill	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	0	0
Alveley	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	12	8
Astley Abbots	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	13	1
Monkhopton	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Aston Eyres	...	...	...	...	...	...		17	0
Cleobury North	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	1
Chelmarsh	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	15	6
Quatford	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	0	0
Tugford	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Eardington	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9	0
Neenton	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Oldbury	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	14	0
Morville	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	0	0
Clee St. Margaret	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
Abdon	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	16	6
Stockton	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6	5
Highley	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	0
Heath Chapel (Craven Arms)	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	0
St. Mary Magdalene (Bridgnorth)	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	16	0
Craven Arms (Primitive Methodist)	1	0	0
Catholic Apostolic (Bridgnorth)	8	6	4
St. Leonard's (Bridgnorth)	10	5	0
							£114	2	0

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REPORT OF CENTRAL COMMITTEE FOR YEAR 1928.

In making its first Report on the first year's working of the Scheme, the Central Committee desires, in the first place, to thank all those Collectors who, by their devoted work, have contributed so largely to the success of the Scheme. It will be a source of satisfaction to them to know that their efforts have resulted in the benefits enjoyed by the contributors to the Scheme.

During the year Local Committees have been set up in nearly all the Parishes served by the Infirmary and the Committee hopes that the few remaining Parishes will be dealt with in the near future. The Committee will be pleased, on application being made, to arrange explanatory Meetings and assist in the formation of local branches. In addition, many firms and other employers of labour have kindly consented to collect from their employees, and this has resulted in a large increase in the number of contributors.

It is with very great pleasure that the Committee is able to announce that, by the generosity and kind thought of certain friends of the Scheme, it has been able to widen the benefits to contributors during 1929. In addition to free treatment at the Bridgnorth Infirmary and the Wolverhampton General Hospital, contributors, under conditions to be obtained from the

REPORT OF CENTRAL COMMITTEE (Continued).

Hon. Gen. Secretary of the Scheme, may now receive free treatment and maintenance at the Wolverhampton Hospital for Women and the Wolverhampton Eye Infirmary. The Central Committee desires to offer its most grateful thanks to those friends who have made possible these further benefits to contributors to the Scheme.

The total amount collected during 1928 was £885 14s. 6d., and the Committee desires to point out that for some districts this does not represent the total of a full year's collections, as they have been in existence only part of a year.

During the year 118 contributors have been admitted to the Infirmary; the average length of stay being 14 days.

Following are the particulars of each district:—

DISTRICT.	LOCAL HON. SEC.	Amount Collected during 1928.	No. of Contributors Admitted to Infirmary.
		£ s. d.	
Alveley	Mr. W. G. Massey	6 9 3	12
Astley Abbotts	Mr. A. T. Whelan	33 9 11	3
*Bridgnorth	Mr. U. C. Brunner	196 11 0	16
Chelmarsh	Mr. J. T. Mottershead	13 0 0	2
Chorley	Mr. J. Hamer	14 9 4	7
Clee St. Margt.	Mr. C. L. Dyer	3 18 4	3
Cleobury North	Mr. J. Kirby	69 13 7	6
Ditton Priors	Miss Cross	32 11 2	3
Eardington	Mrs. Beacall	15 6 9	—
Farlow	Mr. F. Hollis	36 9 2	1
Glazeley	Maj. J. R. Hinmers	85 8 11	12
Highley	Mr. Foster	52 10 0	10
Morville	Miss Cureton	52 9 1	7
Norton	Mr. W. O. Wilson	6 8 10	2
Oldbury	Mrs. Jukes	3 13 8	1
Quatford	Mr. P. H. Bather	13 10 6	3
Quatt	Capt. G. C. Wolryche		
	Whitmore	41 18 3	7
Stottesdon	Miss N. Miller	22 15 2	—
Tasley	Rev. H. V. Dawes	8 12 3	5
Tuckhill	Mr. J. H. Gibbs	18 9 4	1
Worfield	Miss C. Evans	113 0 0	17
Abdon Clee			
Quarry Coy.	Mr. G. R. Turner	45 0 0	—
		£885 14 6	118

* Includes Bridgnorth Brickworks

